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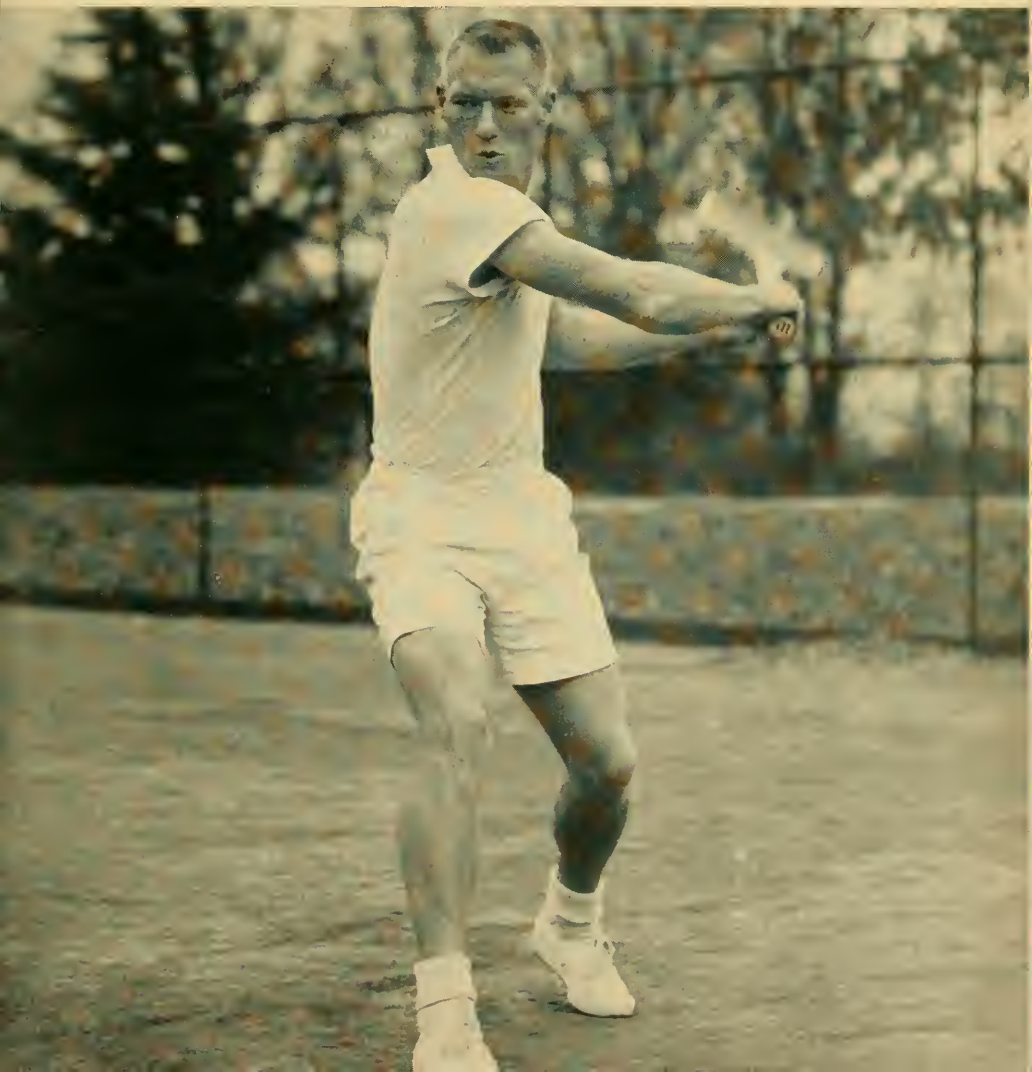

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## A Senior Bids Farewell

*(The Alumni News rarely reprints letters, but in this graduation issue, it may be of alumni interest to read the letter recently received by the dean of students from an outstanding senior, Blue Key member and ROTC officer who will receive his degree this year)*

To: Administration, Faculty and Students

Dear Friends,

I am going to say in a few words what I could put into a book. I am going to try to express my appreciation and love to each department of this school for what they have meant to me.

As the time draws closer and closer to when my time will be up here, it causes me to have a few lumps in my throat .During my years here, I have come to know each person like one of my own family. I certainly didn't have this same feeling when I left high school. No one will ever know how much PC has meant. When I leave for a weekend, I always look forward to getting back to what I call home.

To the faculty and administration, I will admit I have not been an honor student, but I feel that I have learned so much more than just book knowledge. The main thing I have learned is how to get along with all people. It has been a pleasure for me to know and work with you.

To the students I want to say these have been the best years of my life that I have spent with you. You students have chosen me for some honors that I do not feel that I was worthy of, but again I will say thank you.

To everyone who gets to read this letter, I would like to say that I hope this school means as much to each of you as it has meant to me and will continue to mean in the future. It is really a hard place to leave.

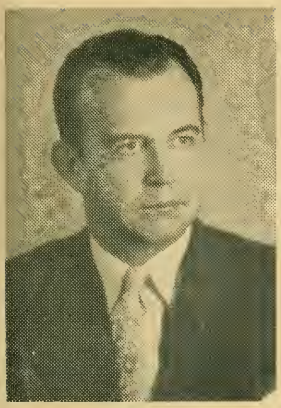
Member of the Class of '54
(Name withheld here)

## Cover

**PC Davis Cup Prospect**
**Allen Morris**

# Eighty - Nine Seniors Graduate In 73rd Commencement Program

## ● Alumnus Johnston Receives Degree



Johnston

Wilson

Lilly

Eighty-nine baccalaureate degrees and three honorary degrees will be awarded at Presbyterian College's 73rd commencement exercises on May 30-31.

The 89 seniors will make their graduation processional to Jacobs Memorial Outdoor Chapel on May 31 to receive diplomas in conjunction with the bestowing of an honorary doctor of divinity degree upon Alumnus Thomas M. Johnston '31, pastor of the Maxwell Street Presbyterian Church of Lexington, Ky.

An honorary doctor of divinity degree also will be given to the Rev. John A. Wilson, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of LaGrange, Ga.; an honorary doctor of literature degree, to Henry T. Lilly, professor of English at Davidson College.

Two religious educators will deliver the principal address at the 1954 commencement exercises.

Dr. Norman G. Dunning—internationally prominent British minister and president of Haworth Hall, theology school of University College at Kingston-upon-Hull, England—is scheduled to preach the baccalaureate sermon in Clinton's First Presbyterian Church at 11 a. m., May 30. And Dr. F. Pendleton Gaines, Jr., president of Wofford College, will give the commencement address at the final exercises the next day, beginning at 10:30 a. m.

Another outstanding class of seniors will step forward to receive baccalaureate degrees in these closing ceremonies held under the oaks of the outdoor chapel. Some will be honored with awards and medals to mark achievement in various fields of college endeavor. Thirty-three senior cadets of ROTC will receive their reserve commissions in the United States Army.

The three honorary degree recipients were selected from a large list of candidates by the Board of Trustees, in concurrence with the PC faculty.

Johnston was graduated from Presbyterian with a B. A. degree in 1931 and received the Bachelor of Sacred Theology degree from the Biblical Seminary of New York in 1934. He has served pastorates in Greer, S. C., Rogersville, Tenn., and in Atlanta at the Gordon Street Church before going to Lexington in 1949. He is a native of Aiken, S. C.

Wilson went to LaGrange in 1945 from the pulpit of the First

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Gaines

Dunning

# Dr. Ward Named Head Of PC Board of Trustees

The Rev. William B. Ward of Spartanburg is the new chairman of the Presbyterian College Board of Trustees.

He was named at the regular annual Board meeting in March to succeed Earl C. Hollingsworth of Augusta, Ga.

George B. Hoyt, Atlanta insurance executive, was chosen vice-chairman to replace Dr. Ward; and Charles N. Plowden '34, Summerton ,S. C., banker, was re-elected to the position of secretary of the board.

Dr. Ward, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Spartanburg, has served on the Board of Trustees since 1950. He became pastor of the Spartanburg church in 1948 after spending six years in Elkins, W. Va., where he served the Davis Memorial Church and was a professor at Davis and Elkins College for two years. Dr. Ward also has filled pastorates in Orange and Madison, Va., and in Charleston, W. Va.

A native of Timmonsville, S. C., he received his B. A. degree from Davidson in 1933, his B. D. (1937) and Th.M. (1942) degrees from Union Theological Seminary in Richmond. He went on a Salem Fellowship to the University of Edinborough in 1938 and to the American School of Oriental Religion in 1939.

Ward

## Dormitory Funds Exceed $120,000

Funds for the construction of a new dormitory at Presbyterian College had reached $121,480.49 in cash and pledges as of May 1.

The goal is $150,000 to be raised among the churches within the Synods of Georgia and South Carolina.

Altogether, $91,812.17 in cash has been collected toward this objective. The pledges total $29,668.32.

South Carolina churches so far have contributed $55,698.07 in cash and pledged $18,268.78 toward their quota of $100,000.

Congregations in the Georgia Synod have given $17,299.89 and pledged $11,399.54 toward their goal of $50,000.

Other friends have added the remaining $18,814.21 in cash.

Presbyterian College, meanwhile, continues to face the pressing need of additional dormitory facilities. Advance reservations this year are moving at the same fast pace which has brought an overflow demand for more room the past several years.

## Synodical School Set For June 14-19

Presbyterian women from throughout the state will assemble at PC for the Synodical Training School of the Synod of South Carolina on June 14-19.

This is an accedited school, under the direction of the leadership division of the board of women's work, Presbyterian Church US.

Mrs. W. R. Josey of Manning, president of the Synod's women, will serve as dean of the school, and the faculty will include several outstanding leaders of the Southern Presbyterian Church.

This year will mark the seventh annual session of the training school, the first session to be held on the Presbyterian College campus.

# GEORGIA SYNOD MEETS JULY 13

Both of the supporting Synods will hold their annual meetings at Presbyterian College this year.

The Synod of Georgia recently decided to make the campus the scene of its 1954 meeting on July 13-15. Earlier, it had been announced that the Synod of South Carolina would assemble at PC on Aug. 31-Sept. 3 for its regular session.

A large crowd of churchmen is expected for each of the Synod meetings. Facilities will be made available in the college dormitories to help accommodate the campus visitors.

These two meetings will be the climax of a steady flow of church activity on the Presbyterian College campus during the spring and summer months.

The Spring Rally of the Young Adult Organization and the Westminster Fellowship Conference, both state-wide organizations of the Synod of South Carolina, were held at PC in March.

Planned for June are: the Synod Leadership Training School for Presbyterian Councils on June 7-12; and the Synodical Training School for the Women-of-the-Church on June 14-19.

## Pres. Brown Returns

President Marshall W. Brown has returned to PC in time for commencement exercises on May 30-31, following a period of sickness.

The Presbyterian chief executive has been visiting his sister in Steubenville, Ohio, for the past several weeks while recuperating from the recent illness.

# Homecoming Set for October 8

## Hay To Lead S. C. Men-of-Church

One Presbyterian College alumnus will take over from another PC graduate as president of the Men-of-the-Church for the Synod of South Carolina next year.

The newly elected Men's leader is Frank Hay, class of '26, of Charleston, S. C. He will step up from vice-president to succeed Hugh Jacobs '41 of Clinton.

Hay, owner of the Hay Oil Company in Charleston and long active in the affairs of the Presbyterian Church, was named to his new post at the annual meeting of the Synod Men-of-the-Church held in Columbia this spring. He will take over from Jacobs at the start of another church year next January.

## Fraser Chosen Churchmen's Veep

Lt. Col. Powell A. Fraser '41 has been selected vice-president of the Presbyterian Men's Council of the General Assembly.

Fraser, who is on the Air University staff at Maxwell Air Force Base, Ala., will serve in his newly elected church position during the next year. He is currently a member of the Council as president of the Men-of-the-Church for the Synod of Alabama.

The Men's Council is the group which directs the entire men's program of the Southern Presbyterian Church at the General Assembly level.

## PaC SaC Dedication

Tennis Coach Jim Leighton receives the dedication of the 1954 PaC SaC.

The yearbook staff, headed by Editor Roy Williams of West Palm Beach, Fla., chose Leighton because of "his contributions to the college, the example he sets, and the attitude he has shown".

Other recent PaC SaC dedications went to Dr. Alexander B. Stump in 1953, Dr. John W. Harris in 1952, the late Alan F. Plummer in 1951 and Mrs. George W. Taylor in 1950.

For Ford

## Osman Directs Eastern Fund

Alumnus John Osman '33 is the new eastern regional representative of the Fund for Adult Education of the Ford Foundation.

He was named to this position early this year after working with the Fund as a field representative since 1952.

Dr. Osman has been acting regional representative since last October. In addition, he will become director of the Test Cities Project when responsibility for the experiment is transferred from the Chicago office to New York. The purpose of this project is to determine the best ways to coordinate and stimulate adult education activities community by community.

Before joining the Ford Foundation, Dr. Osman was assistant to the president of Southwestern University in Memphis. He served as director of the adult education program there and as associate professor of history and art.

Osman received his B. A. degree from PC in 1933 and remained as field secretary for the college until 1938. His wife, Mary Williams Osman, was graduated from Presbyterian in 1939.

Homecoming for 1954 is scheduled for Friday, October 8, and all alumni are urged to start forming their plans in that direction.

Class reunions will be a highlight, with these big anniversary dates coming up: 1904, 1914, 1924, 1929, 1934, 1944 and 1949. Alumni of these graduating classes are requested to make a special effort to return, along with everyone else.

Other class reunions will be announced later.

The tentative schedule at this date calls for football at night, matching Davidson and Presbyterian, an Alumni Luncheon with Gold P presentation at 2 p. m. and the general Alumni Association meeting to elect a new president and other officers.

## Eaton Now Sits On Circuit Bench

Joe Eaton, class of 1941, is now serving as circuit judge of the 11th judicial circuit of Florida.

He was appointed by the governor on Dec. 19 to fill this important position in the Dade County area, which includes Miami.

Eaton had served as assistant state attorney before his appointment. Earlier, he had been assistant county solicitor for two years before being recalled to active duty in the US Air Force. He spent 1951-52 as a pilot and legal officer.

# BECKMAN TO RECEIVE GOLD P

Dr. William Peter Beckman '20 of Columbia is Presbyterian College's alumnus-of-the-year for 1954.

He has been selected to receive the Alumni Gold P Award for this year by the Alumni Association Board of Directors.

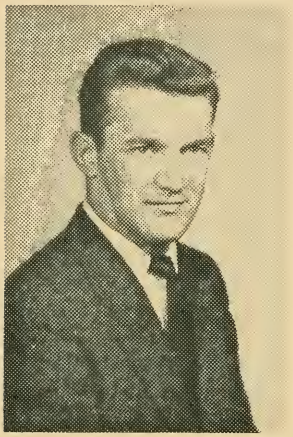
Dr. Beckman, who serves as state director of mental health for South Carolina, is widely recognized in the field of psychiatry. He is credited with doing a particularly outstanding job as director of the mental health program.

The Alumni Gold P is presented annually at Homecoming and is given to the alumnus who has made outstanding progress and achievement in his chosen profession. It is Presbyterian College's highest stamp of approval for alumni.

Dr. John Bright, professor at Union Theological Seminary at Richmond and author of a prize-winning religious book, received the Gold P last year.

Dr. Beckman finished Presbyterian College with a B. A. degree in 1920. He received his M. D. from the Medical College of South Carolina in 1924 and one year later joined the staff of the State Hospital in Columbia.

# PC Student Leaders Elected for 1954-55



Three outstanding rising seniors were chosen in recent campus elections to fill three important positions on the Presbyterian campus for the 1954-55 session.

The results:

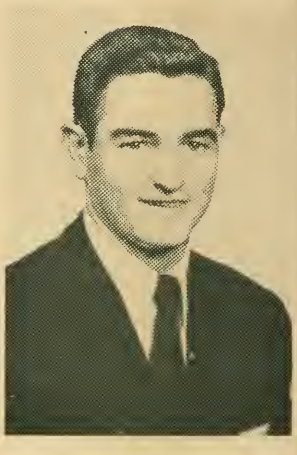
President of the student body —George Blue of Union, S. C.

President of the Student Christian Association—Tommy Stallworth of Atlanta.

Editor of the PaC SaC—Jack Edmunds of Decatur, Ga.

An earlier election had found Ray Lord, a rising junior from Dublin, Ga., chosen to edit The Blue Stocking.

← President Blue



→ President Stallworth

## Howard Chosen Top PC Senior

Andy Howard of Simpsonville will receive the Charlotte Alumni Chapter's Outstanding Senior Award for 1954.

The presentation will be made at commencement exercises to honor "that member of the graduating class who, by his conduct and character, physical fitness, and mental stability, most nearly approximates the institution's ideals for young manhood."

Howard served for the past year as president of the student body and has been outstanding both academically and in extracurricular activities throughout his four years at PC.

Presbyterian Alumni of Charlotte established this award to replace the old Founder's Medal two years ago. A plaque is maintained at the college for inscription of names, and individual keys are presented each recipient.

## Cadets Get RA Bars

Three PC cadet officers have been nominated for appointment to the Regular Army, according to Third Army Headquarters.

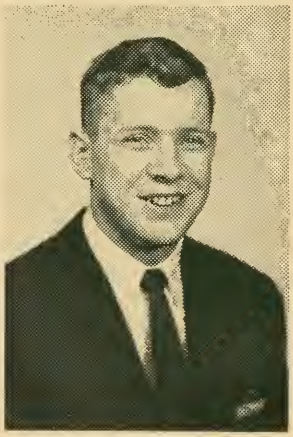
They are: Jake H. Privette of Darlington, S. C.; William C. Bradley of Bradenton, Fla.; and Thomas F. DesChamps of Bishopville, S. C. All are seniors.

# PC REAFFIRMS HONOR SYSTEM

Presbyterian College students have reaffirmed their faith in the college's honor system by the largest student vote ever cast at PC.

The campus-wide vote came on a motion to revise the student body constitution to strengthen the honor system. A total of 389 students—or 66 percent of the enrollment—cast ballots, and 302 of these were affirmative. This represents a 78 percent endorsement.

The approved change places even greater responsibility for maintenance of the honor system upon the individual student and makes more rigid the penalties for violation.



Editor Edmunds

## Neville, Hay Head Religious Groups

State-wide religious young peoples organizations have selected two Presbyterian College students to assume leadership roles for the coming year.

William Neville, a rising senior from Newberry, S. C., has been chosen president of the South Carolina Student Christian Association. Edward Hay, a rising junior from Wadmalaw Island, S. C., is the new vice-president of the Westminster Fellowship for the Synod of South Carolina.

Both of these students are sons of alumni. The parents are D. W. A. Neville '09 and Henry M. Hay '25 respectively.

*Commencement . . .*

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Presbyterian Church of Ware Shoals, S. C., where he had served since 1940. Prior to that, he was pastor of a group of churches in and around Leakesville, Miss., for two years. A native of Abbeville, S. C., he finished Erskine College with a B. A. degree in 1935. After working two years as a radio announcer, Wilson attended Columbia Theological Seminary for two years and received the Bachelor of Theology degree from Erskine Theological Seminary in 1939.

Lilly, who once taught English at PC, was chosen for the honorary doctor of literature degree because of outstanding service rendered as a member of the Davidson faculty since 1926. He received his B. A. degree from Davidson in 1918, his M. A. from Princeton in 1920 and has done further graduate work at Oxford University, University of Vienna and the University of Chicago. Lilly served as professor of English at Presbyterian College from 1924 until 1926, when he left to return to Davidson.

Dr. Dunning, the baccalaureate speaker, gave up a lucrative law practice in England to enter the ministry, and he is now recognized internationally for his preaching ability. He served as a chaplain in the Royal Air Force during World War II and immediately thereafter became president of Haworth Hall. Dr. Dunning was graduated from Cambridge University with the M. A. and L. L. B. degrees and also received his ministry training there.

Dr. Gaines, South Carolina's youngest college president, has been head of Wofford since 1952. He went there from Southern Methodist University, where he served as dean of students. Prior to that, Dr. Gaines held positions as director of public relations and development at the University of Houston, superintendent of the Gulf Coast Military Academy, and dean of men and assistant to the president at Birmingham Southern College. He received his B. A. degree from Washington and Lee in 1937, his M. A. and Ph. D. degrees from the University of Virginia.

# Anderson Acts As Student Dean

The Rev. George A. Anderson has been serving for the past several months as acting student dean at Presbyterian College.

He was named early in March to fill the position made vacant by the resignation of Haynie G. Prince.

Anderson, who has taught Bible and Greek at PC since 1947, also was promoted to full professor of Bible by the board action. He has continued to teach in addition to his new duties as dean.

## Three Students To Receive Gold P

Three Presbyterian College seniors will receive student Gold P awards at the 73rd commencement exercises.

Selected by the faculty to be cited for "outstanding service rendered the college in extra-curricular activities other than athletics" were:

Andy Howard of Simpsonville, S. C., president of the student body; Paul Crouch of LaGrange, Ga., vice-president of the student body; and Roy Williams of West Palm Beach, Fla., editor of the PaC SaC.

## Toole Nominated For Rhodes Award

A Presbyterian College senior has been nominated for consideration to receive a Rhodes scholarship to Oxford University.

He is William D. Toole of Nashville, Tenn., an all-round outstanding student at PC. In addition to ranking high academically, Toole starred on the strong Blue Stocking tennis team the past four years and is serving as president of Blue Key national leadership fraternity.

*Alumni Sports Story*

# Brissie Legion Baseball Commissioner

Leland V. (Lou) Brissie '44x, PC's most recent major league baseball star, has been appointed national commissioner of the American Legion Junior Baseball program.

He began his new duties late last March, with offices at National American Legion Headquarters, 700 Pennsylvania Ave., Indianapolis, Ind.

Brissie, who showed major league promise as a fire-balling left-hander with the Blue Stockings just before World War II, spent six of his seven professional baseball years in the American League first with the Philadelphia Athletics and then with the Cleveland Indians. He was optioned to Indianapolis of the American Association League last winter.

During his major league career, Brissie won 44 games and lost 48. His best year with with the Athletics in 1949 when he won 16 against 11 losses while playing with the second division club.

The young Ware Shoals, S. C., native received the acclaim of the entire sporting world for his courageous rise to major league heights over tremendous handicaps. He suffered near-crippling wounds in Italy during the war and was told by Army doctors that he would never play baseball again.

Brissie persisted, however, underwent more than 20 operations and numerous blood transfusions and developed a special shield to protect his bad leg during games. He starred with Savannah of the South Atlantic League in 1947 and joined the Athletics in the majors the next season.

# Tennis Record Tops Winning Year

A successful spring season, focused around one of the best tennis teams in PC history, enabled Presbyterian College to close out its athletic year with a .607 record in six sports.

Altogether since last September, Blue Stocking representatives have emerged victorious in 50 events, lost 32 and tied 1. All sports considered, this record was compiled against probably the toughest small-college schedule in the country.

Football season brought 5 wins, 3 losses and the tie game in meeting a slate which included one Atlantic Coast Conference team and three Southern Conference foes.

Basketball followed with 17 victories and only 8 defeats, and here again the schedule was heavy with major-college opposition.

Came the spring, and Presbyterian College resumed at the point it had stopped last year in tennis and track. The Hose netters staked a strong claim for rank among the nation's best intercollegiate squads as they defeated 11 opponents, lost to 41 and handed PC its 14th consecutive South Carolina championship. Almost the entire schedule was a bigtime operation.

Trackmen held the same pace as in 1953. They won 5 dual meets and lost 1 during regular season competition, then finished second in the state meet held annually on the Presbyterian track.

Presbyterian golfers came in with an even 4 and 4 record, leaving only baseball to drop below the .500 mark this year with a final tabulation of 8 wins and 12 defeats.

### TENNIS

Coach Jim Leighton set his goal high at the start of the tennis season when he scheduled an invasion of the Ivy League and four matches against teams ranked in the top five nationally. The results exceeded even the coach's expectations for his young squad.

Three of the losses—two to Miami and one to Princeton—were to ranking teams. But Presbyterian stunned the intercollegiate tennis world by upsetting powerful North Carolina and then whipping Duke on successive afternoons.

That started the tour into the East which also brought triumphs over Georgetown, Yale, the University of Virginia and Davidson within a ten-day span. Those ten days pushed little Presbyterian into the foreground of the national tennis picture.

The Blue Stockings then returned to Clinton for the routine of winning their 14th straight state title. Because of lagging South Carolina college interest as the result of PC dominance each year, Presbyterian inaugurated an Invitational tournament held in conjunction with the Championship match. No Blue Stocking players entered this new tournament in order to give other contenders a chance to win, and the idea appeared well-received by the other institutions.

Allen Morris of Atlanta, PC's number one star, racked up his second straight singles championship for the state and then paired with John Brownlow of South Euclid, Ohio, to win the doubles title.

Morris proved the leading light throughout the season, but he was well fortified on down the line by these other first-string stars: Brownlow; Dick Macatee of Front Royal, Va.; Capt. Bill Bradley of Bradenton, Fla.; and Jerry Hunt and Warren Berry, both of College Park, Ga.

A note to the future: only Bradley is a graduating senior.

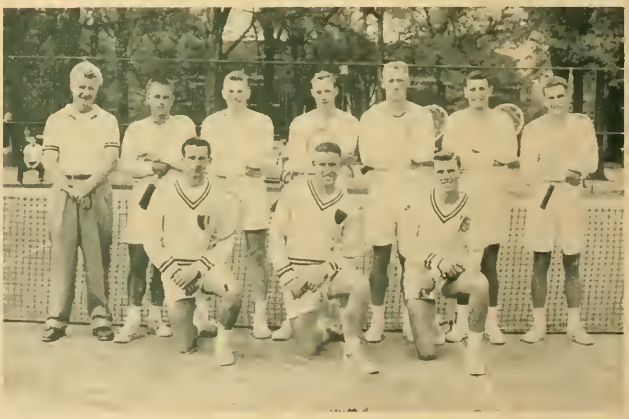
### TRACK

Again this season, Presbyterian fielded the second best track team in South Carolina. It was, to a great extent, a rebuilding job for Coach Lonnie S. McMillian.

But PC took pride in the fact that its annually sponsored state meet once more captured the spotlight of the spring sports parade. More than 3,000 enthusiastic fans attended this 27th performance.

The University of South Carolina had all of its members of the defending champion '53 squad back, plus a returned double-winner of a previous year. The combination proved overwhelming this season and accounted for PC's lone dual meet defeat as well as for its number two spot in the state meet.

***. . . 14th Straight***



**Top Row—Coach Leighton, Bradley, Brownlow, Macatee, Morris, Hunt, and Berry.**
**Bottom Row—Bryan Edwards, Clyde Beaumont and Dave Miller.**

Here's the team scoring on the final big show: South Carolina—70-1/2; Presbyterian—33; Clemson—32; Furman—17; Citadel—11-1/2; and Wofford—1.

The Blue Stockings and Clemson went into the final event—the one-mile relay—deadlocked for second place with 30 points each. In this event, however, the PC team finished second while Clemson ran third. Those relay team members were: Delane Johnson of Spartanburg; Herbie Laws of Cleveland, Tenn.; Curtis Freeman of Clinton; and Hardy Tyler of Eglin Air Force Base, Fla.

Presbyterian won only two first places in the state meet—the broad jump by Bobby Vass of Atlanta and the high hurdles by Jimmy Hancock of Rock Hill. Second places went to: Johnson in the 100; John Fesperman of Waycross, Ga., two-mile; Bobby Falls of Rock Hill, low hurdles; and Jim Bryant of Orangeburg, broad jump.

Sophomore Vass, and freshman Johnson and Hancock paced the Hosemen in dual meets by collecting 174 points altogether in six engagements. Johnson had 63-3/4; Vass, 61 and Hancock 50 points.

**GOLF**

All four performers who lettered in golf for the Blue Stockings this season are freshmen, so the future prospects are bright.

Despite their lack of college experience, the PC linksmen turned in a creditable record and were favored to win the little Four championship before the annual state tournament was suspended.

Robert Odum of Waycross, Ga., led the way through the 4 won-4 lost season by winning five matches and losing three. He shot a two-under-par 69 against Wofford at Spartanburg one afternoon.

Warren Mays of Thomasville, Ga., turned in four victories against three losses and a split, and Gene Mabe of Clinton, N. C., had a similar record. Waldo Dodson of Mattox, Va., won three matches while losing six.

**BASEBALL**

The Presbyterian baseball team opened the season with two victories and closed out the schedule by winning the last two games, but the 16 clashes in-between provided mostly trouble.

Even so, the record of 8 wins and 12 losses shaped up as an improvement over the 5 and 15 record posted last season.

Brightest spots in the 1954 record were the two triumphs over Newberry, whose unusually strong teams of recent years had dominated the baseball rivalry between the two colleges.

Senior Guy Misenheimer of Maxton, N. C., and junior Harry Hamilton of Seneca carried most of the pitching load throughout the year for PC. Misenheimer, a righthander, twirled four victories and lost three. Lefty Hamilton, whose blazing fast ball was handicapped by wildness, turned in three wins against four defeats.

Other baseball standouts for the Hosemen this season included: infielders Don Hattaway of Brunswick, Ga., and George Blue of Union, and outfielders Luther Shealy of Pacolet and Luther Welsh of Bishopville.

# Morris Makes Bid For U. S. Davis Cup Team

Allen Morris, PC's sensational tennis star, goes after a berth on the 1954 United States Davis Cup team when he matches strokes with some of the nation's top players along the eastern tournament circuit this summer.

The young Blue Stocking netter was given serious consideration for the Cup team last year after making an outstanding record in his first season of big-time tournament play. Subsequent analyses of the United States tennis picture have included Morris as a likely possibility to help wrest the Davis Cup from the strong Australian.

With the spotlight thus upon him, Allen Morris has his opportunity now to seal the bid for amateur tennis fame. Alumni will be interested in following this young Hoseman as he bears the PC standard along this route of topnotch tournaments this summer:

June 7-13—Blue and Gray, Montgomery, Ala.; June 14-20—Southern Championship, Atlanta; June 21-27—Eastern Clay Court, Hackensack, N. J.; June 28-July 4—Tri-State Championship, Cincinnatti; July 5-11—Western Championship, Indiana.

Other tournaments in which Morris will participate later in the summer, but for which definite dates have yet to be set include:

Eastern Grass Court, Philadelphia; Newport Grass Court, Newport, R. I.; National Doubles, Boston; Naussa Invitational Grass Court, Glen Cove, Long Island; and the United States Singles Championship, Forest Hills, N. Y.

## Higher Mark Set For Athletic Grants

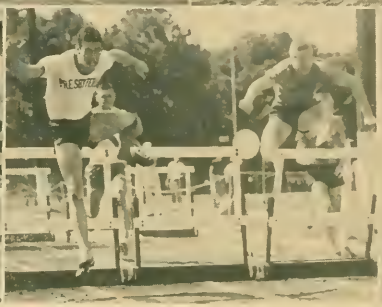
Presbyterian College has established more stringent admittance requirements for high school prospects seeking athletic grant-in-aids, Dean George C. Bellingrath announced.

Each applicant is required to take a special entrance examination, and the acceptable grade has been set at an unusually high mark.

Dr. Bellingrath explained the system is designed, not to work a handicap upon worthy athletes in need of financial assistance, but to ascertain that a high standard of academic excellence is maintained throughout the entire student body.

He pointed to PC's broad sports program as indicative of the administration's attitude toward campus athletics and toward worthy athletes. The dean added:

"Stricter standards will mean more aid available to athletes who really want an education and who will take best advantage of it."



South Carolina's Little Olympics—the 27th annual state track meet

Top row: 3,000 fans jam Johnson Field, watch start of mile relay.
Bottom row: 1—PC's Johnson finishes second to Carolina's Woodlee in 100 yard dash.
2—Hancock clears last barrier on way to high hurdle victory.
3—Vass receiving victory medal for broad jump.

# Rounding Up Spring Sports

## BASEBALL

| P.C. Score | Opponent | Opponent Score |
|---|---|---|
| 10 | The Citadel | 5 |
| 6 | Furman | 4 |
| 2 | Georgia | 7 |
| 1 | Wofford | 5 |
| 2 | Newberry | 1 |
| 1 | Newberry | 2 |
| 3 | The Citadel | 12 |
| 6 | Erskine | 7 |
| 1 | Erskine | 4 |
| 3 | Jacksonville Naval | 2 |
| 14 | Jacksonville Naval | 19 |
| 6 | Rollins | 4 |
| 8 | Stetson | 9 |
| 2 | Wofford | 8 |
| 7 | Wofford | 15 |
| 8 | Furman | 9 |
| 5 | Newberry | 1 |
| 2 | Newberry | 4 |
| 14 | Erskine | 6 |
| 6 | Erskine | 3 |

Won 8—Lost 12

## TRACK

| P.C. Score | Opponent | Opponent Score |
|---|---|---|
| 50 | South Carolina | 81 |
| 90-1/2 | Furman | 40-1/2 |
| 114-1/3 | Wofford | 15-2/3 |
| 91 | Mercer | 35 |
| 66 | Clemson | 65 |
| 77 | The Citadel | 53 |

Won 5—Lost 1

Second in State Track Meet

## GOLF

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 1-1/2 | Clemson | 19-1/2 |
| 17 | Furman | 1 |
| 18 | Wofford | 3 |
| 11 | Furman | 7 |
| 6-1/2 | Clemson | 11-1/2 |
| 12-1/2 | Wofford | 5-1/2 |
| 9-1/2 | The Citadel | 17-1/2 |
| 1 | South Carolina | 17 |

Won 4—Lost 4

## TENNIS

| P.C. Score | Opponent | Opponent Score |
|---|---|---|
| 3 | Rollins | 6 |
| 0 | Miami | 9 |
| 1 | Miami | 8 |
| 9 | Wofford | 0 |
| 9 | Furman | 0 |
| 8 | South Carolina | 1 |
| 6 | Erskine | 1 |
| 8 | Davidson | 1 |
| 5 | North Carolina | 4 |
| 5 | Duke | 4 |
| 9 | Georgetown | 0 |
| 2 | Princeton | 7 |
| 5 | Yale | 4 |
| 6 | Virginia | 3 |
| 8 | Kalamazoo | 1 |

Won 11—Lost 4

State Championship

# *Down the Avenue of Classes*

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**'00**

**The Rev. James Carpenter** is pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in Holly Springs, Miss. He came to this church in 1948 from Central Church in Mobile, Ala., where he served for over 20 years. Dr. Carpenter is a member of the Board of Louisville Seminary.

**'03**

**James Henley Thornwell** is now living in Bluefield, W. Va. He has made his home there at 428 Union Street since his retirement from the teaching profession in 1951.

**'12**

**Mrs. Elizabeth N. Lancaster,** a former missionary to China, is now living at 3018 Capers Avenue, Nashville, Tenn.

**'16**

**The Rev. H. T. Bridgman** lives in Houma, La., where he is pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of that city. His church has recently completed a new educational building, and other church improvements have been made.

**'21**

**The Rev. John D. Henderson** lives in South Miami, Fla., where he serves as pastor of the Riviera Presbyterian Church.

**R. G. (Christy) Matheson** received his Ph. D. Degree from Peabody College in June 1953. He makes his home in Paducah, Ky., where he is president of Paducah Jr. College. Under Dr. Matheson's leadership, Paducah Jr. College has become a fully accreditated college in the Southern Association.

**'24**

**The Rev. R. Matthew Lynn** is completing his seventh year as pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Midland, Tex. His address: 804 West Texas Avenue.

**'25**

**Alfred Ogden Ramsay** is completing his twenty-seventh year as teacher in the McDonogh School, McDonogh, Md.

**Arthur Tristrain Dampier** recently moved to Lancaster, S. C. His address is 314 Gillsbrook Road.

**'27**

**G. Creighton Frampton** of Charleston recently completed his term as president of the South Carolina Education Association.

**'30**

**Dan A. Yarborough** has been elected president of the Clinton Chamber of Commerce for the coming year. He succeeds **Robert Wysor III '42** in this position.

**The Rev. Walter Harvell Jackson** moved the first of the year from Citronelle, Ala., to Leakesville, Miss. In addition to being pastor of the Vernal Church near Leakesville, he and Mrs. Jackson are developing their "Palestinian Gardens" near Lucedale, Miss. They are outlining the Bible World in miniature and hope to have this project completed in 1957.

**Dr. James O'Daniel,** is now located in Dublin, Ga.

**'31**

**Otto Walter Ferrene** lives in Maxton, N. C., where he is Dean of Instruction at Presbyterian Jr. College. Mr. Ferrene went to this college in 1932 as Dean of Students, Coach, and professor of science. In 1936 he resigned as Dean of Students and Coach to become Head of the Science Department. He has remained in this capacity since then and in addition has taught science and accepted the appointment of Dean of Instruction and Registrar. In 1943-45 when Presbyterian Junior College had a very small student body, Mr. Ferrene divided his time between there and Flora Macdonald College where he taught four science courses. He has taken an active part in the First Presbyterian Church of Maxton and is an ordained Elder.

**The Rev. George L. Riddle** is pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Cherryville, N. C. He resides at 105 West Academy Street.

**'32**

**David Eugene Brown** lives with his wife, the former Mae Will Suddeth of Chesnee, S. C., and three sons on his dairy farm between Laurens and Clinton.

**'33**

**John Osman** is eastern representative for the Fund for Adult Education established by the Ford Foundation. His offices are located at 595 Madison Avenue, New York 22, N. Y.

**Furman B. Pinson, Jr.,** is manager of the purchasing department of J. P. Stevens and Company, Inc., Greensboro, N. C. His residence is: 102 Beverly Place, Greensboro.

**'35**

**Henry Drayton Dillard** has been elected president of the National Educational Association for Williamsburg county. Mr. Dillard is principal of Williamsburg High School at Andrews, S. C. He has also been elected a delegate from the sixth district to the National Educational Association convention and will attend the sessions in New York June 27-July 2.

**'36**

**The Rev. Lynn Temple Jones** is pastor of the Royster Memorial Presbyterian Church, Norfolk, Va. He resides at 207 East 42nd Street.

**'40**

**Harry H. "Rock" Mitchell** and his brother, Richard O. Mitchell, recently opened their own law firm with offices in the Demetree Building, Tallahassee, Fla.

**Robert C. Knox** is now living in Jacksonville, Fla.

**Pete McCormick** was recently promoted to the position of Director of Advertising and Promotions of Winn & Lovett Grocery Company. This company is the 9th largest supermarket chain in the nation. He also was awarded a citation by Supermarket Institute and McCall's Magazine for "Distinguished Service Thru Advertising". He, his wife and two children make their home in Tampa, Fla.

'41

**Allen Fessenden** is now living in Atlanta, Ga. He is registered in the evening division of law school at Emory University. His home address is: 1660 South Gordon Street, S. W.

'42

**Joe Milam** is living in Winston-Salem, N. C., where he is manager and comptroller for the Power Brake and Manufacturing Company.

'43

**Joe Fuller** is living in Augusta, Ga. His address is 3045 Hawthorne Drive.

**Henry Ferguson, Jr.,** is now located in Calipatria, Calif., where he teaches in California's Imperial Valley. He formerly taught at Whitmire (S. C.) High School.

**James L. McCown** is associated with the P. & W. Electrical Supply Company of Columbus, Ga.

**Robert A. McCully** lives in Selma, Ala., where he is a clerk and engineering assistant with the Alabama Gas Corporation. His address: 402 Union Street.

'44

**Harris Johnson** is now residing in Leesburg, Fla.

**Warren Koon** lives in Asheville, N. C., where he is sports editor of the Asheville Citizen-Times. He went to this post from the editorship of the Lancaster (S. C.) News.

'47

**The Rev. J. W. Stonebroker** has just accepted a call to the Grace Presbyterian Church of Gainesville, Fla. He writes that his family now consist of two boys and a baby daughter—Dorothy Berkeley, born Nov. 20, 1953.

**Mrs. Warren Koon** writes that she has her hands full as a full-time mother and housewife at 14C Coleman Apartments.

**R. E. "Ears" Wilson** has been named head football coach at Chester (S. C.) High School, beginning next fall. He is now coaching at Clover, S. C., and formerly served as an assistant coach at Chester.

**William M. Cruickshanks** is employed as production foreman with the Vanadium Corporation of America. He lives in Point Pleasant, West Va., and has two children, a daughter and son.

**Roy Krouse** is now living at 2705 Hillside Lane, Augusta, Ga.

**James E. Allred** will return to the high school coaching scene at Westminster (S. C.) High School with the start of the 1954 football campaign. He has been serving in the army for the past several years and coached the 187th Regimental Combat team to the Southwest Command championship in Japan.

**Herbert Rollins** is a partner in the Rollins and Hagan Insurance Agency with offices at 138 West Main Street, Lake City, S. C. He also serves as coach at Lake City High School.

'48

**James Harold Patterson** is now with the American Red Cross at Fort Bliss, El Paso, Tex. He has recently returned from 15 months in Japan. His new address is: 3650 Douglas St., El Paso, Tex.

**Dr. Carl A. Bramlette, Jr.,** lives in Columbia, S. C. His address: 2A Pinecrest Crt.

**Marvin Gault** has recently accepted a position with the Clinton-Lydia Mills. He and his family make their home at King Apartments, Clinton, S. C.

'49

**The Rev. Jan Deuberly Perry** is minister of education at the Tabernacle Baptist Church, Raleigh, N. C. His address: 1821 Rankin Street.

**Wilbur C. Kaiser** is associated with Sanford Ink Company (writing Inks and adhesives) of Bellwood, Ill.

'50

**Robert Lloyd McKinney** is now living in Cradock, Va.

**Ralph Teddard** is living in Gaffney, S. C., where he is assistant football and head basketball coach at Gaffney High School. He has been selected to coach the upper-South Carolina high school All-Stars for the annual North-South basketball game August 3 in Columbia. This game is sponsored annually by the South Carolina Athletic Coaches Clinic and is staged as part of the clinic.

**Robert P. Stutts** has been named head coach and physical educational director at Aiken High School. He will assume his duties on July 1. Bob goes to Aiken from St. John's High in Charleston where his team was runner-up for the Class C championship in 1952 and Class C champion in 1953. He was named coach-of-the-year for the Charleston metropolitan area last fall.

'51

**William Thomas Ozmint** is a salesman for Rexall Drug Company. He now lives at 522 Magnolia Street, Orlando, Fla.

**Joseph W. Amory, Jr.,** will be graduated from Union Theological Seminary in Richmond, Va., on May 25. He has accepted a call to become pastor of the Bethal and Shilah Presbyterian churches outside of Raeford, N. C.

**Ralph Jackson** is now associated with the Pennington Manufacturing company in Columbia, S. C.

'52

**Outfielder Kirby Jackson** is staring for the Columbia Reds of the South Atlantic League. He is leading off in the batting order and was hitting .323 at last report.

**Charles O. Belk, Jr.,** recently discharged from the army, is working with the Commercial Credit Corporation in Columbia, S. C.

**Delmar Stuart** is living in Lake Worth, Fla., where he is employed by the Palm Beach Daily News as telegraph editor. He writes that he is looking forward to completing his degree in journalism at Stanford University, Stanford, Calif.

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# ★ ★ WITH THE ARMED FORCES ★ ★

**Lcdr. Harry McInvaill, Jr. '41x** (Apt. 32-C, 5500 Alson Drive, Norfolk 8, Va.) writes:

"After five years at sea in the destroyer and cruiser forces of the U. S. Atlantic Fleet, I now have shore duty as Functional Training Officer in the headquarters of the Commandant, Fifth Naval District in Norfolk. My wife, the former Talulah Lemmon, and I have two daughters, Eve Gordon (age 8-1/2) and Alice Mills (3-1/2), with a third child scheduled in August. I expect offspring No. 3 to be a girl also, since this seems to be my destiny. Ah, well, I can always look forward to being three times over the father of the bride.

"Since 1950, I have made four consecutive cruises to Europe, each of about six months' duration. I have touched on most of the maritime nations of Europe and North Africa from Sweden to Turkey. Life, since I last saw PC in 1939, has been interesting. Regards to all at Tennis Tech."

Horn

**Joseph Mason Stevenson '52** is now a first lieutenant serving with this outfit: AFFEGSG 8097th AU, APO 301, San Francisco. It's a geographic survey group in Korea, which he joined after Intelligence School at Fort Riley, Kans.

Also in Korea at this time is **Lt. Dwight L. Groninger '52,** who recently was awarded the commendation ribbon for meritorious service with the 40th Infantry Division there. Groninger has been in Korea since last June as an instructor in the division's training center.

Far Eastern reports bring the further news that **Kenneth C. Horn '52** is now a first lieutenant, and the above picture shows Colonel Alfred C. Boatsman clipping on the silver bars. Boatsman heads the 7th Cavalry Regiment in which Horn serves as a Company I platoon leader, stationed in Japan. The APO is 201, San Francisco.

Headed East is **Master Sergeant Pierce W. Timberlake '43** who writes:

"The latest news from here is that after nearly eight years at the Air Proving Ground Command, Eglin AFB, Fla., I am on my way to the Fifth Air Force in Korea. Most likely, I will be at Seoul where the advance headquarters are located—expected to do either PIO work or run a base newspaper on some landing strip. If things work out right, I want to get on "Stars and Stripes" in Tokyo.

"Last spring, my Eglin track team for the second straight year won the Southeastern Air Force Conference championship and went on to place third in the 1st AF World-Wide Tract Meet held at the University of New Mexico last June. Thirteen AF Conference were represented from every corner of the world. I was named coach of the 1953 All-Star AF track team which went on to meet the Army, Navy and Marines last June at Fort Jackson. Had three former Olympic stars on the squad." (Until further notice, mail is being forwarded to Timberlake via 113 Englewood Road, Little Rock, Ark.)

**Lt George Regis Kimsey '52** is now stationed at Amarillo Air Force Base, Amarillo, Tex., in the 3343 Student Squadron.

The address of **S/Sgt. Charles E. Jennings '46** is: Headquarters, 38th Tactical Hospital, APO 17, New York.

**Col. John S. Caldwell '38,** now stationed in Washington, D. C., was among a group of 100 high-ranking U. S. Air Force officers who completed the Air Force Manpower Management Training Program at George Washington University this spring. The program is designed to improve the executive abilities of Air Force commanders and potential commanders by acquainting them with the techniques and principles of American business and industry.

Naval Aviation **Cadet Clarence Caldwell Guy '54x** is pictured here as he prepares to make his first solo flight at Great Lakes (Ill.) Naval Academy. The flight was completed at the U. S. Naval Auxiliary Air Station, Whiting Field, Great Lakes. Cadet Guy was scheduled to go from his first solo to instruction in precision air work and aerobatics along with his regular solo flights.

**Lt. Albert Campbell '54** was called into the Army last March and is now taking the officer refresher course at Fort Benning's Infantry School.

**Lt. Elwyn M. Watt, Jr. '53** (Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 8th Infantry Regiment APO 39, New York) writes:

"I'm the athletic and recreation officer for the 8th Regiment of the 4th Division. I like the work very much . . . I hope to get our regimental track team started as soon as I can, which will be around May 25 because we have a field problem beginning tomorrow.

"I'm living in the same town that **Ferdie Jacobs '50** lived in when he was over here. I saw him the first night I was in Bad Nauheim. It's a health resort town and very beautiful. There

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Guy

Thirteen percent of Presbyterian alumni contributed to the 1953 Alumni Fund to keep this yardstick of interest growing larger each year.

This 13 percent in 1953 compares to 10.9 percent in 1952, 7 percent in 1951 and 2 percent in 1950.

A total of 391 persons gave $9,045.23 to the Alumni Fund in 1953, with $5,058.83 going to the Living Endowment program, $2,887.40 to the Walter Johnson Club and $1,150 to other sources.

This year, three clubs are being introduced to give special recognition to those alumni who have given larger amounts to the Alumni Fund. They are: The One Thousand Club (composed of donors whose gifts total at least $30, the sum representing annual interest on an investment of $1,000); the Five Thousand Club (for gifts of at least $150, the interest equivalent of a $5,000 investment); and the Ten Thousand Club (for gifts of at least $300, the interest equivalent of a $10,000 investment).

Here is the Alumni Fund Honor Roll for 1953:

# Honor Roll

**Class of 1883**
*Members*—1
*Contributors*—1
*% Contributing*—100
*Amount*—$5
Mrs. R. S. Thompson

**Class of 1891**
*Members*—3
*Contributors*—1
*% Contributing*—33.3
*Amount*—$15
Jenkins M. Pope

**Class of 1893**
*Members*—3
*Contributors*—1
*% Contributing*—33.3
*Amount*—$10
H. D. Henry

**Class of 1894**
*Members*—6
*Contributors*—1
*% Contributing*—16.6
*Amount*—$10
Thornwell Jacobs (w)

**Class of 1895**
*Members*—8
*Contributors*—3
*% Contributing*—37.5
*Amount*—$22
Joseph T. Dendy
Horace W. Leland
Thomas M. Watts, Sr.

**Class of 1896**
*Members*—3
*Contributors*—2
*% Contributing*—66.6
*Amount*—$45
Miss Fronde Kennedy
A. W. Simpson (*)

**Class of 1898**
*Members*—4
*Contributors*—1
*% Contributing*—25
*Amount*—$10
T. C. Gower (w)

**Class of 1900**
*Members*—4
*Contributors*—2
*% Contributing*—50
*Amount*—$40
Mrs. J. L. Beaudrot
J. B. Carpenter

**Class of 1903**
*Members*—8
*Contributors*—3
*% Contributing*—37.5
*Amount*—$41
A. G. Fewell
J. H. Thornwell
W. R. Wallace (*)

**Class of 1904**
*Members*—5
*Contributors*—2
*% Contributing*—40
*Amount*—$80
Mrs. Bessie C. Leake
Thomas H. Smoot

**Class of 1905**
*Members*—9
*Contributors*—1
*% Contributing*—11
*Amount*—$5
Swanson L. Craig

**Class of 1906**
*Members*—8
*Contributors*—1
*% Contributing*—12.5
*Amount*—$10
Mrs. H. Lan Moore

**Class of 1908**
*Members*—10
*Contributors*—2
*% Contributing*—20
*Amount*—$15
Robert S. Owens
Miss Essie Young

**Class of 1909**
*Members*—16
*Contributors*—3
*% Contributing*—18.7
*Amount*—$30
James B. Frazier
D. W. A. Neville
John T. Young (w)

**Class of 1910**
*Members*—20
*Contributors*—2
*% Contributing*—10
*Amount*—$60
Miss Mary E. Dillard
Mrs. Mattie Neville James

**Class of 1911**
*Members*—17
*Contributors*—1
*% Contributing*—5.8
*Amount*—$10
Mrs. J. B. Frazier

**Class of 1912**
*Members*—9
*Contributors*—4
*% Contributing*—44.4
*Amount*—$110
J. M. Fewell (*)
W. S. Fewell
Mrs. Elise S. Hindman
Mrs. L. H. Lancaster

**Class of 1913**
*Members*—12
Contributors—3
*% Contributing*—25
*Amount*—$20
Frank P. Anderson
J. S. Garner
J. M. Wilson (w)

**Class of 1914**
*Members*—19
*Contributors*—3
*% Contributing*—15.8
*Amount*—$60
Howard M. Byrd (deceased)
John S. Land
H. J. Winn (*)

**Class of 1915**
*Members*—23
*Contributors*—3
*% Contributing*—13
*Amount*—$255
J. F. Jacobs (*)
H. E. Hicklin, Sr. (w)
L. W. Perrin (*)

**Class of 1916**

*Members*—26
*Contributors*—8
*% Contributing*—30.7
*Amount*—$102.50

J. W. C. Bell (w)
A. W. Brice (*)
H. T. Bridgman
M. E. Carmichael (w)
C. H. Garrison (w)
Fleming Marsh
J. M. Thompson (*)
Robert S. Woodson

**Class of 1917**

*Members*—22
*Contributors*—3
*% Contributing*—13.6
*Amount*—$25

Miss Essie Davidson
Howard M. Wilson
W. H. Youngblood

**Class of 1918**

*Members*—24
*Contributors*—4
*% Contributing*—16.6
*Amount*—$85

L. A. Beckman, Jr.
Hugh F. Dick (*)
Frank B. Estes, Sr.
A. P. McFie (w)

**Class of 1919**

*Members*—23
*Contributors*—6
*% Contributing*—26.1
*Amount*—$535

J. L. Barnett (*)
R. H. Boulware (w)
C. E. Galloway (w)
G. W. Shaw (w)
T. A. Sherard (*)
H. W. Tiller (w)

**Class of 1920**

*Members*—36
*Contributors*—3
*% Contributing*—8.3
*Amount*—$110

W. P. Beckman
A. T. Taylor
M. S. Woodson

**Class of 1921**

*Members*—30
*Contributors*—6
*% Contributing*—20
*Amount*—$325

D. C. Alford (*)
A. R. Hafner (*)
J. D. Henderson
L. S. McMillian
R. G. Matheson
Ryan L. Wood

**Class of 1922**

*Members*—44
*Contributors*—8
*% Contributing*—18.2
*Amount*—$195

R. M. Cothran
James M. Dick
C. K. Douglas
A. B. Godfrey (*)
W. B. Kimble (*)
Louis C. LaMotte
C. E. Piephoff (w)
G. W. Stuart

**Class of 1923**

*Members*—27
*Contributors*—11
*% Contributing*—40.7
*Amount*—$365

W. R. Anderson (w)
M. C. Dendy
W. D. Hall (*)
D. F. Kirven (*)
M. A. Macdonald (*)
C. J. Milling
J. L. Nickles
M. B. Prince, Jr.
W. S. Scott (w)
J. W. Shaw (*)
J. C. Young

**Class of 1924**

*Members*—42
*Contributors*—9
*% Contributing*—21.4
*Amount*—$150

A. R. Batchelor
Ratchford Boland
George P. Boozer (w)
J. W. Chapman (w)
C. L. Cureton
Craig Hunter
C. D. McClary (w)
Ross Templeton (*)
A. T. Wilson (w)

**Class of 1925**

*Members*—36
*Contributors*—10
*% Contributing*—27.7
*Amount*—$177

William H. Bailey
E. G. Beckman
Porter Bomar (w)
D. D. Edmunds
Lewis H. Hay
William McIlwain (w)
H. J. McLaurin (*)
A. O. Ramsay
Edwin L. Wilds
Eugene Wilson (*)

**Class of 1926**

*Members*—48
*Contributors*—13
*% Contributing*—27.1
*Amount*—$900

Robert Adams, Jr.
P. S. Bailey (w)
John A. Blake
George Blalock (w)
Edmund Ferguson (*)
Bob S. Hodges
H. K. Holland, Sr. (w)
Roy B. Moore (w)
D. O. Rhame (*)
A. M. Simpson
William Sistar
T. B. Warren
J. W. White (w)

**Class of 1927**

*Members*—52
*Contributors*—10
*% Contributing*—19.2
*Amount*—$210

W. B. Byers
G. C. Frampton
B. Frank Godfrey
Thomas H. Grafton
Stephen T. Harvin

## *Honor Roll Box Score*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Total Alumni Fund Contributions for 1953 | | $9,045.23 |
| Living Endowment | $5,058.83 | |
| Walter Johnson Club | 2,887.40 | |
| Other Sources | 1,150.00 | |
| Total Number of Alumni Solicited | | 3,000 |
| Total Number of Contributors | | 391 |
| Percent of Alumni Contributing | | 13% |
| Average Gift Per Alumnus Contributor | | $ 23.14 |

**This $9,045.23 Represents the Equivalent of Interest on an Investment of $301,500.00**

1927 (Cont'd.)

J. M. Kirven (w)
L. E. McLaurin (*)
J. Marion Moore
Atwood H. Pitts
A. B. Poe (*)

**Class of 1928**

*Members*—71
*Contributors*—12
*% Contributing*—18.3
*Amount*—$257

Herbert Blake (w)
D. S. Blankenship
John Bright
L. W. Jackson (w)
Robert Jeanes
Willard Jones
Thomas LaMotte
S. Cater Ligon (*)
H. G. Prince (w)
T. M. Sumerel (*)
S. A. Timmons (w)
J. A. Wertz (*)

**Class of 1929**

*Members*—74
*Contributors*—13
*% Contributing*—17.6
*Amount*—$425

E. D. Brunson (w)
Tom J. Cole (*)
R. M. Fraser (w)
J. N. Gaston (*)
Francis H. Hart (*)
Roy G. Hogrefe
Louis S. Holleman (*)
Robert Latimer, Jr. (*)
W. H. McInnis (w)
Arnold Marshall (*)
J. R. B. Martin
B. G. Shaw (*)
Lew A. Wallace (w)

**Class of 1930**

*Members*—72
*Contributors*—8
*% Contributing*—11.1
*Amount*—$210

I. Mac Adair (w)
O'Dell Bankhead (w)
W. T. Barron
W. T. Bolt
R. T. Gillespie
C. J. Martin (w)
J. E. Means, Jr. (*)
Harold Walker (*)

**Class of 1931**

*Members*—67
*Contributors*—10
*% Contributing*—14.9
*Amount*—$135

J. Isaac Copeland
Walter Gosnell (w)
James B. Green (w)
Harold Jackson (w)
George A. James
Ross M. Lynn (*)
George G. Palmer
Cecil Sullivan
Neil E. Truesdale
J. W. Walkup

**Class of 1932**

*Members*—58
*Contributors*—6
*% Contributing*—10.4
*Amount*—$145

D. E. Brown, Sr. (*)
J. A. Cheatham (*)
J. M. Dempsey
D. M. McNaull (*)
George K. Smith
D. S. Templeton (*)

**Class of 1933**

*Members*—76
*Contributors*—9
*% Contributing*—11.8
*Amount*—$480

Sam L. Clarke
H. H. Ferguson
James E. Greer
John Osman
Freeman B. Parker
F. B. Pinson, Jr.
William M. White (*)
Arthur L. Woodside (*)
R. L. Wylie, Jr. (*)

**Class of 1934**

*Members*—70
*Contributors*—6
*% Contributing*—8.6
*Amount*—$183

M. E. Gregg
Robert D. Lynn (*)
Charles Plowden
Herman Quantz
Robert Sims (w)
J. H. Wilson (w)

**Class of 1935**

*Members*—96
*Contributors*—7
*% Contributing*—7.3
*Amount*—$160

Van M. Arnold
George W. Dunlap (*)
Cecil B. Elliott
Selman Johnson
Norman Kirkland (w)
L. A. McCall
Mrs. Hubert Wardlaw

## *The One Thousand Club*

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A. W. Simpson '96
Mrs. J. L. Beaudrot '00
Mrs. Bessie C. Leake '04
Mrs. Mattie N. James '10
W. S. Fewell '12
J. M. Fewell '12
H. J. Winn '14
Hugh F. Dick '18
G. W. Shaw 19
Marshall S. Woodson '20
D. C. Alford '21
A. R. Hafner '21
Robert M. Cothran '22
A. B. Godfrey '22
D. F. Kirven '23
Alex R. Batchelor '24
Ross Templeton '24
William H. Bailey '25
J. Edmund Ferguson '26
Roy B. Moore '26
Delmar O. Rhame '26
Alvis B. Poe '27
Robert P. Jeanes '28
S. Cater Ligon '28
T. M. Sumerel '28
J. A. Wertz '28
Tom J. Cole '29
J. N. Gaston '29
Francis M. Hart '29
Robert S. Latimer, Jr. '29
B. G. Shaw '29
William T. Barron '30
William T. Bolt '30
James E. Means, Jr. '30
Ross M. Lynn '31
James A. Cheatham '32
D. S. Templeton '32
H. H. Ferguson '33
Furman B. Pinson, Jr. '33
Arthur Woodside '33
Charles N. Powden '34
Herman Quantz '34
L. A. McCall '35
Richard R. Potter '36
Marion W. Bird '37
E. Smith Buchan '37
Furman Wallace '37
W. Dean Power '38
Robert A. Burgess, Jr. '40
Thomas F. Hollis '43
MacDonald B. Fleming '44
E. Peter King '45
David B. Brooker '48
David R. Moorefield '48
Neely McCarter '50
R. James Lindsay '51
William Mulcay '52
John O. Covin '53
James B. Robinson, Jr. '53
*Parents of Students*
James S. Bryant
David W. Hicks
G. C. Maxwell

## *Class Leaders For '53*

**By PERCENT**

**Pre-1910**

| | |
|---|---|
| 1883 | 100% |
| 1896 | 66.6% |
| 1900 | 50% |
| 1904 | 40% |

**Post-1910**

| | |
|---|---|
| 1912 | 44.4% |
| 1923 | 40.7% |
| 1916 | 30.7% |
| 1925 | 27.7% |
| 1926 | 27.1% |
| 1919 | 26.1% |
| 1913 | 25% |
| 1924 | 21.4% |
| 1921 | 20% |

**Class of 1936**

*Members*—88
*Contributors*—8
*% Contributing*—9.1
*Amount*—$195

Charles E. Denny (*)
M. D. Milam, Jr.
Tom Plaxico
Richard R. Potter
Thomas T. Upshur
Frank Waldrep (w)
J. M. Wilson, Jr. (w)
Leland Young (w)

**Class of 1937**

*Members*—93
*Contributors*—15
*% Contributing*—16.1
*Amount*—$340

Marion W. Bird
E. Smith Buchan (*)
J. M. Bullwinkel (w)
Stuart B. Campbell
Dill B. Ellis
J. W. Freeman
M. H. Jacobs (w)
W. Chester Keller
Allen McSween
Dalton M. Mann
Joseph E. Patrick (*)
Stewart P. Smith
J. W. Steenbergen (w)
Alva Tuten (*)
Furman Wallace

**Class of 1938**

*Members*—63
*Contributors*—10
*% Contributing*—15.9
*Amount*—$175

H. F. Blalock (w)
Shields Croker
A. K. Darby
N. S. Heeth
Frank R. Johnston
Mrs. Allen McSween
Jake Penland (w)

1938 (Cont'd.

W. Dean Power
B. Gaither Shaw (*)
Hubert G. Wardlaw

**Class of 1939**

*Members*—88
*Contributors*—9
*% Contributing*—10.2
*Amount*—$95

W. C. Baldwin
James R. Booth (w)
James L. Culp
Joseph Gilmore
James B. Hafley
William McSween (*)
Mrs. Charles Raynal
Robert I. Upshur
John S. Walkup

**Class of 1940**

*Members*—110
*Contributors*—15
*% Contributing*—13.6
*Amount*—$245

D. Pinckney Berry (w)
James Buchan
Ralph Buchan
Robert Burgess, Jr.
W. D. Hart
Dugald W. Hudson (*)
Billy S. Kee
Paul "June" Moore
George K. Reid
George Staples
John T. Stubbs
Miss Thelma Taylor
Robert Thomason
Charles P. Vincent (w)
J. D. Wasson (w)

**Class of 1941**

*Members*—105
*Contributors*—10
*% Contributing*—9.5
*Amount*—$145

Lew Boggs
Joe O. Eaton
Powell A. Fraser (*)
Hugh S. Jacobs (w)
W. Elbert Jones
Harry Y. McSween
Felton H. Moore
Tench P. Owens (*)
W. H. Talbot
Robert E. Wysor III (*)

**Class of 1942**

*Members*—80
*Contributors*—9
*% Contributing*—11.2
*Amount*—$105

Mrs. James Culp
Charles MacDonald
Joe Milam
A. S. Quinn. Jr. (*)
Jerry Roberts (w)
Earl H. Stockton
George Wilson (w)
Kenneth Young
William Young

**Class of 1943**

*Members*—98
*Contributors*—8
*% Contributing*—8.2
*Amount*—$115

Miss Florence Blakely
William P. Dent (*)
Ben Hay Hammet
Thomas F. Hollis
Kemper D. Lake
Robert A. McCully
James H. Query (w)
David Ratchford (w)

**Class of 1944**

*Members*—70
*Contributors*—5
*% Contributing*—7.1
*Amount*—$112

Leland V. Brissie (w)
MacDonald Fleming (*)
Harris Johnson
Jack S. Tyler
W. R. Zemp

**Class of 1945**

*Members*—75
*Contributors*—4
*% Contributing*—5.3
*Amount*—$80

E. Peter King
W. D. McClary
William B. Rauch (w)
James Von Hollen

**Class of 1947**

*Members*—105
*Contributors*—5
*% Contributing*—4.9
*Amount*—$60

Edward W. Burke, Jr.
James Coad, Jr.
Marion Frazier (*)
Miss Sara Jordan
James Kellett III (w)

## *Class Leaders For '53*

**By AMOUNT**

| 1953 Total | Class | 1952 Total |
|---|---|---|
| $900 | 1926 | $475 |
| $535 | 1919 | $355 |
| $480 | 1933 | $370 |
| $425 | 1929 | $231 |
| $365 | 1923 | $350 |
| $340 | 1937 | $207 |
| $325 | 1921 | $280 |
| $257 | 1928 | $160 |
| $245 | 1940 | $166 |
| $210 | 1927 | $120 |
| $210 | 1930 | $175 |
| $205.50 | 1950 | $460 |

## *The Five Thousand Club*

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J. Ferdinand Jacobs '15
W. D. Hall '23
Robert L. Wylie, Jr. '33

**Friend**

Robert M. Vance

**Class of 1948**
*Members*—110
*Contributors*—11
*% Contributing*—10
*Amount*—$145
Richard Adams
J. C. Bearden (*)
Carl Bramlette
David Brooker (*)
Burt Copley
D. H. Douglass, Jr.
H. E. Hicklin, Jr. (w)
David R. Moorefield
Thomas D. Todd (w)
Edward A. Walters
R. E. Wilson, Jr.

**Class of 1949**
*Members*—130
*Contributors*—6
*% Contributing*—4.6
*Amount*—$65
Mrs. Burt Copley
Russell Culbertson (w)
Wilbur C. Kaiser (w)
James L. Kennedy
Henry T. Little
Dennis Troutman

**Class of 1950**
*Members*—208
*Contributors*—21
*% Contributing*—10.1
*Amount*—$205.50
George T. Copeland
Garvin Daniel
H. V. Epps (w)
H. L. Giles (w)
Joe C. Harden
Charles C. Hertwig, Jr.
Sanford Howie, Jr.
James R. Johnson (w)
Edward B. Kenney
Dick Lindsay (w)
Alvin McMillan, Jr.
Neely McCarter
Harvey G. Melton
Parker Perkins
James P. Poag, Jr.
George Reynolds, Jr. (w)
Thomas R. Roark
Warren Wardlaw
Robert Westbrook (w)
Edward Whitson
Windsor Wilder

**Class of 1951**
*Members*—135
*Contributors*—11
*% Contributing*—8.2
*Amount*—$132
Laddie Brearley (w)
Chester Cameron
Harry S. Dent
Hensil F. Engleman
Richard J. Lindsay (*)
Hybert L. Matthews
David Neville
Edgar O. R. Sadler (*)
M. Richard Stutts
Nolan H. Teddar, Jr. (w)
Blake Watts (w)

**Class of 1952**
*Members*—83
*Contributors*—8
*% Contributing*—9.6
*Amount*—$125
Charles O. Belk, Jr.
Hershel R. Clay

## *Class Leaders For '53*

**By**

**CONTRIBUTORS**

| 1953 Total | Class | 1952 Total |
|---|---|---|
| 21 | 1950 | 15 |
| 15 | 1937 | 10 |
| 15 | 1940 | 17 |
| 13 | 1926 | 12 |
| 13 | 1929 | 12 |
| 13 | 1953 | — |
| 12 | 1928 | 9 |
| 11 | 1923 | 10 |
| 11 | 1948 | 10 |
| 11 | 1951 | 10 |

William E. Crosby (w)
George Fesperman
A. R. Hamilton (*)
Charles C. Jordan
William Mulcay
Robert W. Pierce

**Class of 1953**
*Members*—88
*Contributors*—13
*% Contributing*—14.8
*Amount*—$168
Don Anderson
James Cleland
John O. Covin
Tommy Guillebeau (w)
Henry M. Hay, Jr.
Cloud H. Hicklin (w)
Herbert Hunter
Ralph Jackson (w)
Homer W. Kirkman
Andral B. Plexico
A. J. Richards

## *Class News . . .*

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**'53**

**J. R. Kirby** is living in San Antonio, Tex. His address is 335 Ira Avenue-Apartment "J".

**Clyde Parrish** is teaching and coaching at Langley-Bath High School in Clearwater, S. C.

**Raymond Campbell** is living in Atlanta, Ga., where he is with the credit department of the Gulf Oil Corporation.

**David Collins** is reporting to Memphis in August to become field secretary of Southeastern States for Pi Kappa Alpha. His offices will be at national headquarters. Alumnus Robert Lynn heads this office as executive secretary. Collins has served on the Presbyterian College staff for the past year.

**W. J. McBrayer** is teaching at Darlington School in Rome, Ga.

**Fletcher Hardee, Jr.,** is pastor of the Lydia Baptist Church in Lydia mill community near Clinton, S. C.

**Robert Patterson** plans to enter the pulpwood business in Orangeburg, S. C. in the near future.

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J. B. Robinson, Jr.
Henry L. Smith

East Georgia Alumni Chapter

**Friends**
Marshall W. Brown (w)
C. D. Evans (w)
Walter M. Hart
R. B. Hellams (w)
John McSween (w)
W. L. Patterson (w)
Robert M. Vance (w)

**Parents of Students**
James S. Bryant
Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Gahagan
David W. Hicks
G. C. Maxwell
James O. Mayfield

## *The Ten Thousand Club*

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J. L. Barnett '19
P. S. Bailey '26

## For Whom Wedding Bells Toll

Married—Miss Mary Johnson Stephens of Lumberton, N. C., to **Joseph W. Amory, Jr., '51 of** Raeford, N. C., on May 29.

Married—Miss Mary Ann Craig of Rutherfordton, N. C., to **Robert Sumter Link IV '53** of the U. S. Navy, on May 15.

Married—Miss Florence Patterson of Savannah, Ga., to **Lawton Daugherty '53** of Decatur, Ga., on May 31.

Married—Miss Mary Ruth Norman of Clinton to **Robert Patterson '53x** of Orangeburg, S. C., on May 15.

Married—Miss Teena Stevenson of Winnsboro, S. C., to **Edward Montgomery '54** of Birmingham, Ala., on February 13.

Married—Miss Louise Rice of Plum Branch, S. C., to **Lt Albert Campbell '54** of U. S. Army, on June 12, 1953.

## *Armed Forces . . .*

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is also sufficient entertainment here. I hope to learn to ice skate when winter comes again, and also learn to ski."

**Lt. Ferd Jacobs '50** left Bad Nauheim, Germany, to return to the States early in March after Watt arrived. He is now re-suited in civilian clothes and back at his position as a member of his father's religious advertising firm in Clinton. While overseas, Jacobs served as deputy disbursing officer to the central disbursing officer of the U. S. Army in Europe.

**Walter D. Wheeler '50** was recently promoted to lieutenant junior grade in the U. S. Navy. He serves as legal officer of the USS Consolation, a hospital ship. Wheeler expects to be released after five years of active duty in July, 1955.

# *Blue Booties*

Born—to Mrs. Mary Lewis Todd and **Joseph Sloan Todd '36** of Clinton, S. C.—a daughter, Jenny Berkley—on March 19.

Arrived—for **The Rev. and Mrs. Jack Walkup '39** of Belton, S. C.—a daughter, Marry Horricks—on February 18.

Born—to **Mrs. Aggie Jones Hiers '39** and Marion C. Heirs of Clinton, S. C.—a son, Robert Erwin—on March 6.

Born—to **Mrs. Elizabeth Tucker Smith '41** and Ansel Smith of Weaverville, N. C.—a daughter, Margaret Cantrell—on February 6.

Born—to Mrs. Zella Boyd Yarborough and **Charles D. Yarborough '43** of Aiken, S. C.—a daughter, Jane Ann—on February 24.

Born—to **Mrs. Julia Taylor Cushman, Jr. '47** and the Rev. Ernest deSabla Cushman, Jr. of South Pittsburg, Tenn.—twin sons, David Peyton and George Mark—on March 15.

Born—to **The Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Stonebraker '47** of Gainesville, Fla.—a daughter, Dorothy Berkeley—on November 20, 1953.

Born—to **The Rev. and Mrs. Frank L. Perry, Jr. '49,** of Raleigh, N. C.—a daughter, Jan Douberly—on January 15.

Born—to **Mrs. Betty Taylor Copley '49** and **Burt Carrington Copley '49** of Aiken, S. C.—a daughter, Julia Pratt Copley—on May 6.

Born—to Mrs. Irene Wingate Burnett and **Choc Burnett '50** of Clinton, S. C.—a daughter, Joan Denise—on March 9.

Born—to Mrs. Barbara Ball Hawkins and **Lt. Lewis Lee Hawkins '52** of Plymouth, Ind.—a son, Terry Lee—on March 9.

Born—to Mrs. Dean Currie Weldon and **Richard Weldon '52** of Bamberg, S. C.—a son, Richard Jr.—on February 9.

# Deaths

Died—**Richard Thornwell Fewell '06** of Rock Hill, S. C., on November 2, 1953.

Died—**Professor Bothwell Graham** of Newberry, S. C. (member of the Presbyterian College faculty for 38 years), on March 12, 1954.

## Current News and/or Comment

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# Report on the Chapters

Four local chapters of Presbyterian alumni report springtime activity this season.

LAURENS CHAPTER started the ball to rolling early with a meeting on Feb. 20 at George's Ranch Drive-Inn. Twenty members were present at the steak supper, and Coaches Lonnie S. McMillian and Bill Crutchfield represented the college. They spoke and showed movies of the PC-Wofford and PC-Davidson football games.

J. W. Todd III '38 was elected president of the organization, Judge Hewlette Wasson '38 and Hartlette Wilson '34 were named first and second vice-presidents respectively, and Miss LeEllen Williams '44 was re-elected secretary-treasurer. Todd succeeds Tommy Todd '48 as president.

Frank Waldrep '36, chairman of the local Walter Johnson Club, asked for the backing of Laurens area alumni.

CHARLOTTE alumni held their annual spring banquet in conjunction with the Charlotte-PC student club on April 27. The occasion spotlighted prospective students of the Charlotte area and was held in Kuester's Tea Room.

Fifteen high school seniors attended the banquet, along with 14 Charlotte Chapter alumni, five representatives from the college and four student members of the Charlotte-PC Club. Those college staffers on hand were: Dean George C. Bellingrath, Athletic Director Walter A. Johnson, Coach Bill Crutchfield, Registrar Edward Campbell and Ben Hay Hammet.

New officers were elected to head the Charlotte Chapter for the coming year. They are: Bob Westbrook '50, president succeeding Marion Bird '37; Fred Stallworth '31, vice-president; Ross Templeton '24, secretary; and Morris R. Ritch '39, treasurer.

The TRI-COUNTY CHAPTER (Sumter, Lee, Clarendon counties) held its spring meeting on May 4 at Frank's Restaurant, near Sumter. A ladies night crowd of 31 persons attended the occasion, in addition to three representatives from the PC: Dr. Bellingrath, Dr. Johnson and Hammet.

The program consisted of brief talks by the college visitors and a showing of the PC-Catawba Homecoming football movie. Chapter officers elected at this time were:

Jimmy Richardson '40 of Sumter, president; Robert Latimer '25 of Bishopville, vice-president and Bill Stevenson '50 of Sumter, secretary-treasurer. Richardson succeeds the Rev. Cliff H McLeod '38 as president.

The ATLANTA CHAPTER came through once more with its annual Atlanta Day special, the bringing of prospective students to the PC campus to interest them in attending Presbyterian next fall. This year, ten prospects came to attend the state track meet finals on May 8. The Rev. Eugene Wilson '25 escorted the group over, accompanied by Ira L. Collins, father of PC student Nobel Collins.

They were guests of the college for dinner in the dining hall, and special bag lunches were issued for the return trip to Atlanta.

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